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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/541,041  
Filing Date: December 12, 2005  
Applicant: Frederic W. Strobel et al.  
Group Art Unit: 3673  
Examiner: Gilbert Y. Lee  
Title: BARIATRIC PATIENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM  
Attorney Docket: 1-36863

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**AMENDMENT**

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 13, 2007, for which the shortened statutory period for reply is set to expire March 13, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Specification** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.